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| Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal | First Named Inventor | Mi-Young KIM |
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| | Attorney Docket Number | 0630-1150P |
| This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. | | |
| Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114 Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s). | | |
| a. X Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked. | | |
| i. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on | | |
| ii. X Other Amendment under 37 CFR 1.116 filed November 29, 2004. | | |
| b Enclosed | | |
| i. Amendment/Reply iii. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) iv. Other | | |
| 2. Miscellaneous | | |
| a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a | | |
| period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required) | | |
| b. Other | | |
| 3. Fees The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed. | | |
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Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no person are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. Complete if Known Effective on 12/08/2004. 09/662,023-Conf. #009860 Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818). **Application Number** FEE TRANSMITTAL September 14, 2000 Filing Date Mi-Young KIM First Named Inventor For FY 2005 **Examiner Name** A. M. Psitos Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 2653 Art Unit 0630-1150P TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT 790.00 Attorney Docket No. METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply) x Check Credit Card Money Order Other (please identify): None Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: 02-2448 Deposit Account Name: Birch, Stewart, Kolasch & Birch, LLP For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply) Charge fee(s) indicated below Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayment of Credit any overpayments fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 **FEE CALCULATION** 1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES **FILING FEES** SEARCH FEES **EXAMINATION FEES Small Entity Small Entity Small Entity Application Type** Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fees Paid (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) 300 150 500 200 100 Utility 250 Design 200 100 100 130 50 65 Plant 200 100 300 150 160 80 Reissue 300 150 500 250 600 300 Provisional 200 100 0 0 0 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES **Small Entity** Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fee Description Each claim over 20 (including Reissues) 50 25 Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues) 200 100 Multiple dependent claims 360 180 **Multiple Dependent Claims Total Claims Extra Claims** Fee Paid (\$) Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$) Fee Paid (\$) Indep. Claims Extra Claims 3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s). Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof Fee Paid (\$) **Total Sheets** Extra Sheets - 100 = (round up to a whole number) x 4. OTHER FEE(S) Fees Paid (\$) Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount) Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): 1801 Request for continued examination (RCE) (see 37 ... 790.00 SUBMITTED BY Registration No. (703) 205-8000 Signature 41,458 Telephone Name (Print/Type) Date Scott L. Lowe May 16, 2005